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1. U.S. Patent No. 7,002,325 issued to Harris et al. on February 21, 2006, for Clocked Cascading Current-Mode Regulator with High Noise Immunity and Arbitrary Phase Count.

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